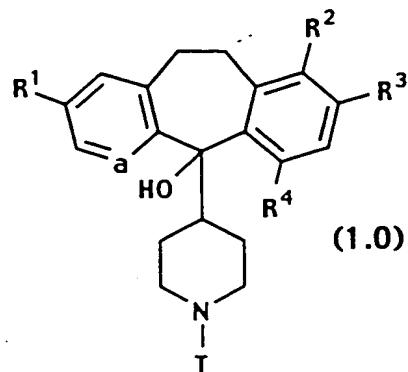


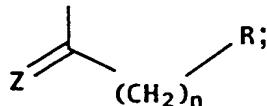
ABSTRACT

Novel compounds of the formula:



5 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof, wherein:
a represents N or NO⁻;
R¹ and R³ are the same or different and each represents
halo;

10 R² and R⁴ are the same or different and each is selected
from H and halo, provided that at least one of R² and R⁴ is H;
T is a substituent selected from SO₂R or



Z is O or S;

n is zero or an integer from 1 to 6;

15 R is alkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, heteroarylalkyl,
cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, or N(R⁵)₂;

R⁵ is H, alkyl, aryl, heteroaryl or cycloalkyl.

Also disclosed are methods of inhibiting farnesyl protein
transferase and methods for treating tumor cells.

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